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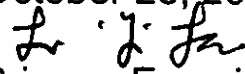
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The Reply brief filed on August 11, 2006 have been received and considered. The application has been forward to the Board of Appeal.

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